



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: ZIEGLER, Friedrich
Serial No: 10/620,217
Filed: July 15, 2003
For: REFLECTION-PHOTOMETRIC ANALYTICAL SYSTEM
Art Unit: 3662
Examiner: Isam A. Alsomiri

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 20, 2006

Dear Sir:

This reply is in response to the Official Action dated July 20, 2005 which has a shortened statutory period for response of three months that expired on October 20, 2005. A petition for a 3-month extension of time until January 20, 2006 is enclosed herewith.